

MONTHLY REPORT OF RIVER AND FLOOD CONDITIONS

REPORT FOR:

MONTH

YEAR

April

2002

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When no flooding occurs, include miscellaneous river conditions, such as significant rises, record low stages, ice conditions, snow cover, droughts, and hydrologic products issued (WSOM E-41).

☒ No flood stages were reached in this HSA for the month above.

Major but localized flooding occurred in Shackelford County around Albany on the 25th...as a result of persistent stationary thunderstorms. Rainfall totals of 9 to 12 inches fell west and southwest of Albany. The town of Albany received 5 to 7 inches of rain. One death occurred as a woman was swept downstream. The city of Albany estimated \$1.7 million in damage. The Red Cross total was: 1 house and 3 mobile homes destroyed, 16 houses and 5 mobile homes with major damage, 67 houses and 29 mobile homes with minor damage, and 10 businesses with damage of some kind. Hubbard Creek below Albany rose from 3.5 feet at 415 PM to 27.2 feet at 915 PM. It remained below its flood stage of 35 feet.

Otherwise...rainfall for the month of April was below normal for much of the HSA. In April, San Angelo received 0.33 inches of rain. This is 1.27 inches below normal for the month. For the year so far, San Angelo has received 3.06 inches of rainfall, which is 1.52 inches below normal. Abilene received 0.46 inches of rain in April, which is 1.21 inches below normal. For the year so far, Abilene has received 6.10 inches of rainfall. This is 0.92 inches above normal.

River Products Issued:

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| LBBRVASJT | 30 |
| LBBRVDSJT | 30 |
| LBBESFSJT | 1 |